

U.S. Senate

Desk Description and Condition Report

Desk No : **66.00000.091**

Paper Label No.(on shelf bottom): N/A

Painted No. (on bottom): N/A

Other identifying labels or marks (specify location): Stretcher: 93, XCI / Top: 0 (stamped), 92 (scratched)

Description of Desk

Dimensions (in inches)

	Overall	Orig. Desk*	Case	Shelf
Height	35 5/8	32 3/8		
Width (front)	28 1/4	26 7/8	25 3/4	
Width (rear)	25 7/8	24 1/2	23 3/8	
Depth	19 3/4	19 13/16	18 3/4	9 5/8

* Note: Dimensions do not include "booster" blocks added to feet or writing top.

Woods

Primary:

Mahogany ☒

Mahogany veneer ☒

Rosewood veneer ☐

Other Wood (specify): _____

Character of case mahogany:

Plain ☒

Ribbon ☐

Mottled ☐

Crotch ☐

Other ☐

Secondary:

Element	Pine	Ash	Poplar	Mahog	Other
Drawer Sides				✓	
Drawer Bottom			✓		
Drawer Back				✓	
Case Interior	✓		✓		
Drawer Front				✓	

Construction Details

Leg:

Wood Type	rosewood crossband	other crossband	no crossband
mahog. veneer		✓	
solid mahogany			
other: _____			

Foot construction: 1-part ☒

2-part ☐

5-part ☐

Other: _____

Double bead on edge of leg: Bead: Thick ☒

Thin ☐

Leg Thickness: 1 5/16"

Shape of cross-stretcher edges: Rounded ☐

Rectangular ☒

Spindle type:	Thick	Thin	Other
Number			10

Joinery of lower drawer blade to case sides: single dovetail ☐

2 dovetails ☐

3 dovetails ☐

lap joint ☐

other: blind

Shelf molding applied: Yes ☐

No ☒

Cockbead width on bottom of drawer front: Narrow ☐

Full width ☒

Opening in original top for inkwell: Yes ☐

No ☒

Roundels: Single piece ("yo-yo" form) ☒

Applied boss ☐

Inset distance of single bead on desk back panel: Side: 1 1/4"

Top: 7/8"

Bottom: 7/8"

No. of Glue Blocks	Case	Stretch'r	Shelf
Original/Old			
New/Recent			
Missing			

Interior case-side flush with corner block? Yes ☒

No ☐

Width of drawer-opening offset Right : 5/8"

Left : 11/16"

Condition of Desk

Structure

Previous breaks in structural elements: Yes ☐
(shown on schematic)

No ☒

Current split or broken elements: Yes ☐
(shown on schematic)

No ☒

Other loose or damaged joinery: Yes ☐
(describe in narrative)

No ☒

Damage to drawer front: Extreme ☒
Moderate ☐
Minor ☐

Drawer lock: relocated on face Yes ☐

Drawer lock: resized on inside Yes ☒

Cockbead on drawer front: Damaged ☒
(show on schematic)

Missing ☐

Loose ☐

Replacements ☐

Replaced drawer-side runners: Yes ☐

No ☒

Replaced case-side runners: Yes ☐

No ☒

Drawer bottom pieced-out at back edge: Yes ☐

No ☒

Wear on Feet	Extreme	Moderate	Minor
Front	✓		
Rear		✓	

Number of loose spindles: No: 0

Number of replaced spindles: (show on schematic) No: 0

Replaced veneers and cross-banding: Yes ☒
(show on schematic)

No ☐

Missing veneers and cross-banding: Yes ☐
(show on schematic)

No ☒

Delaminated/loose veneers & cross-banding: Yes ☐
(show on schematic)

No ☒

Shelf supports: Original/old ☐
New/recent ☐
Missing ☒

Spindle support board in case: Yes ☐

No ☒

Finish

Age	Excellent	Good	Fair	Poor
New			✓	
Old				
Unk.				

Note: Describe finish problems in narrative.

Hardware/Attachments

Item	Mismatch	Missing	Damaged
Knob (L)			
Knob (R)			

Toe cap size: Right toe: 13

Left toe: 18